COA Grants - Revisions from FY15 to FY16

The **Arts Catalyze Placemaking (ACP)** Program is no longer referenced and categories once offered in FY15 have been revised and/or expanded as individual programs for FY16.

FY15

COA provided applicants with the "ACP Program which included 3 categories" as noted below:

FY16 grants will provide applicants with the following "PROGRAM" options as noted below:

Applicants may choose ONLY one (1) PROGRAM to submit an FY16 application.

- Arts Education (funding for arts in education projects)
- Community Impact (funding for arts-based community development projects)
- Public Art Community Projects (funding for community-based public art projects)
- Creative Arts Promoting Preservation (CAPP) (SHPO funding for arts-based projects that promote historic properties/sites)
- Supporting Arts in Place (general operating support)

In addition to the PROGRAMS listed above, COA is partnering to provide mini grants through regional partners. The new offering is titled the **COA Regional Initiative Grants**.

Review the FY16 REVISIONS below:

The ACP category has been split into three (3) distinct Arts-Based Project Grant Programs, all of which provide project support. The new programs are:

- Arts Learning Program
- o Arts & Community Impact Program
- Public Art Community Projects Program
- The new grant programs are managed by individual staff members. Staff contacts are provided below.
- Much of the original ACP framework has been carried over into the new programs; however, variations exist between all and require careful review by applicants.
- Partnerships continue to be required.
- Grant requests range between \$7,500 and \$35,000. Small grants will be available through the COA Regional Initiative Grants.
- The approach to project outcomes has been simplified and customized specifically for the needs of each program.
- Intent to Apply is required for ALL applicants.

Staff Contacts:

Staff Contact: Todd Levine

Arts Learning: Bonnie Koba Arts & Community Impact: John Cusano Public Art Community Projects: Tamara Dimitri

FY15 HPACP Historic Preservation

FY15 ACP

placemaking

projects

Arts Leadership

funding for creative

SHPO funding for arts-based projects that promote historic properties/sites

Creative Arts Promoting Preservation (CAPP) Program

- Simplified language within the guidelines and application
- Much of the original ACP framework has been carried over into the new programs; however, variations exist between all and require careful review by applicants.
- Partnerships continue to be required.
- Grant requests range between \$5,000 and \$15,000
- The Outcomes Table has been simplified with a table customized specifically to the needs of the program.
- Intent to Apply is required for ALL applicants.

FY15 ACP Supporting Arts in Place

general operating support

Supporting Arts in Place

- No significant changes.
- Program continues to fund all eligible applications using a mathematical formula.
- Intent to apply is required for ALL applicants.

COA Regional Initiative Grants are new in FY16 and provide funding for arts-based projects through COA's Designated Regional Service Partners (DRSO). Grant requests range between \$1,000 - \$5,000 for projects occurring between October 1, 2015 and September 30, 2016. Further information about the COA Regional Initiative Grants are forthcoming.